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# INTERNATIONAL SEABED AUTHORITY NIGERIA

Ref: NIMSA/ISBA/APR/15/1

12<sup>th</sup> May, 2015

**Report to Stakeholders (ISBA/Cons/2015/1)**  
International Seabed Authority  
14-20 Port Royal Street  
Kingston  
Jamaica

## RE: SUBMISSION OF RELEVANT LEGAL INSTRUMENTS ON MINING IN THE AREA

We refer to your two note verbale (097/15) and (96/15) on the above subject matter requesting the Inter-Ministerial Standing Committee of the International Seabed Authority, Nigeria to submit information on relevant legal instruments in respect of the activities in the Area.

Please find attached herewith the relevant legal instruments on mining of minerals currently in place in Nigeria:

- i) Nigerian Minerals and Mining Act, 2007; and
- ii) Nigerian Minerals and Mining Regulations, 2011

Accept the usual assurances and esteemed regards of the Alternate Permanent Representative (ISA-Nigeria).

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Director-General/CEO - NIMASA

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with all documents  
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